EUGENE FIELD DEAD.

THE WELL KNOWN POET DIES SUDDENLY.

Stricken by Heart Disease While Asleep-Sketch of His Career-Won His Reputation in the West-Was a Great Admirer of Little Children.

CHICAGO, Nov. 5 .- Eugene Field, poet, story writer and newspaper man, whose works were read and admired in all parts of this country, died in bed at his home in Buena Park, a suburb of this city, about 5 o'clock yesterday morning, from heart disease.

Eugene Field, newspaper worker, poet and friend of the children, was born in St. Louis, Mo., September 21, 1850. He was the son of Roswell Martin and Francis (Reed) Field. His father was a distinguished lawyer and one of the counsel of Dred Scott in the famous slave case. His mother died in his infancy, and his childhood was passed in the care of his cousin. Miss French, at Amherst, Mass. At the age of 18 he entered Williams college, but, his father dying soon after, his guardian placed him in Knox college at Galesburg, Ill. He remained there for eighteen months, and completed his education in the Missouri state uni-In 1871 he made a six months' tour of the continent, and in 1873 entered upon his career as a newspaper worker, receiving his first employ-ment on the St. Louis Journal. In 1873 he married Miss Julia Comstock of St. Joseph. She was the sister of a college friend, and it was a case of love at first sight. Many of the hours of his courtship were passed in "Lorers' Lane" at St. Joseph. which he has memoralized in verse. Shortly after his marriage he became a reporter on the St. Louis Evening Journal, and in a short time w.s. advanced to city editor. In 1875 he went to the St. Joseph Gazette, but soon returned to St. Louis and from 1870 to 1880 was an editorial writer on the St. Louis Times-Journal. In 1881 he accepted the position of editorial writer on the Kansas City. Times. In 1881 he went to Denver. where he became managing editor of the Tribune. It was while on the latter paper that he attained his reputation as a writer of droll, humorous prose, and dainty verse. In 1883 he went to Chicago, accepting a position on the Morning News, now the Record, with which paper he was connected without interruption until the day of his death.

The year 1889-90 he spent with his family in Europe, where he extended his wide acquaintance with literary people, and was the recipient of many flatfering attentions. Field was a careful but prolific writer. His innumerable verses in the newspapers have been widely copied. His published works are "The Holy Cross and Other Tales," "Little Book of Profitable Tales." "Little Book of Western Verse," "Second Book of Verse", "With Trampet and Drum," and, in collaboration with his brother Book. collaboration with his brother Roswell, "Echoes From the Sabine Farm, a Metrical Translation of Horace."

Mr. Field left a widow and five children. Mr. Field was a kind husband and affectionate father, passionately fond not only of his own children, but of all the children of the world, and his home life was delightful.

MULVANE IN CONTROL

The Mortgages on the Topeka Capital Consolidated-Hudson to Go.

TOPEKA, Kan., Nov. 5.-The announcement was made this afternoon that John R. Mulvane had purchased C. C. Baker's \$19,000 mortgage against the Topeka Capital and had also purchased Mrs. P. B. Plumb's \$10,000 mortgage against the paper. This places the paper in Mr. Mulvane's bands, as he holds the only other mortgage of any considerable amount against the paper.

This is generally held to mean that Major Hudson will soon be retired from the editorship, but the future of the paper is still problematical:

The paper will continue Republican, but the opinion prevails that it will be for J. R. Burton for United States Senator. The Mulvanes have been for Burton all along.

Dave Mulvane is a nephew of John

R., and was Burton's manager in the campaign last winter. As John R. Mulvane put up money enough to save the Capital from wreck and ruin by unfriendly creditors, 16 is natural that he should have something to say about its policy. "With the Capital at Burton's back," said a prominent Republican politician last night, "the other Senatorial candidates will have

Increase in Express Charges.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4 .- A large increase in the rates for transporting money by empress order went into effect yesterday. This increase is said to average 20 per cent between points east of Chicago, and even more to points west of that place. This increase of rates is regarded as another blow in the warfare waged for some time past between express companies and the State and National banks throughout the country, and which, it is said, will be carried to Congress by the banks.

Archison, Kan., Nov. 5 .- A fire in the rear of Porter & Swan's dry goods store; at 519 Commercial street at 2 o'clock this morning bid fair for a while to wipe out one of the most valuable blocks in the city. Prompt action on the part of the fire department extinguished the fire, but the stock of goods was almost totally destroyed by fire, smoke and water. The stock was insured for \$20,000.

Thieves Loot a School.

CUTHERE, Okla., Nov. 5 .- In Lincoln county, east of here, thieves entered a district school house and stole the stove and chairs and the window sash from the windows, and even took up the floor and hauled it away, leaving desks and books piled in a heap out-

Forger Ward Arrested. WASHINGTON, Nov 5. - News has reached here of the acrest in Tegucipalpa, the capital of Honduras, of A K. Ward, the Memphis, Tenn., forger who defrauded people and banks of

CONDENSED DISPATCHES

Chicago merchants have the dress goods market cornered.

Choctaw Council has appropriated \$7,000 for the removal of intruders. The Nicaragua commission's report is understood to be generally favor-

Jack Dempsey, the pugilist, is dead at Portland, Ore., the result of dissipation.

Turkish fanatics attempted to burn an American college at Marsovan, Asia Minor.

Dr. Briggs of Ingalls, Okla., was shot by his son in a quarrel at break-fast. The boy fled.

Rome was shaken by an earthquake but no great damage was done. Lieutenant Peary has tired of Arctic

exploration and will go on routing duty in the nasy. W. M. Hagerton of Alden, Iowa,

was fatally stabbed by the father of Miss Smiser, whom he had ruined. Governor Clarke knocked out the Corbett-Fitzsimmons prize fight at Hot Springs and drove the pugilists out of the state. The sports throughout the country are thoroughly dis-gusted and Corbett and Fitzsimmons

are calling each other coward and cur. During the past year 3,912 men and 348 apprentices enlisted in the navy and 715 men and 173 apprentices deserted.

Fifty students of the Northwestern university were ejected from a Chicago opera house for raising a disturbance.

Samuel Sewell, son of the president of the First National bank of Mc-Gregor, Texas, has been arrested for robbing the bank of \$15,000.

Dr. George McCandless and E. R. Vining, both married men, eloped from Waverly, Neb., with Misses Alice Miller and Margaret Ward, 18-year-old

Cardinal Benito Sanzy Fares, Archbishop of Seville, is dead. The Duke of Cambridge has been

gazetted chief personal aid-de-camp to the Queen. Rev. Elihu Gunn, a ploneer Baptist

minister of Kansas, died at Fort Scott, aged 77 years. Jay S. Ray, a plantation manager near Pine Bluff, Ark., cut his servant's

throat, killing him. It is expected that the cardinal's beretta will be conferred upon Mgr.

Satolli December 8. Total coinage of the mints last month amounted to \$8,000,000, over \$7,000,000 of which was gold.

The Americans, Gonzales and Perez have been released from the Spanish Military prison in Cuba.

The revolutionary spirit in Turkey is growing. The Mussulmans and Armenians may unite against the Sultan.

The Choctaw Indians and Dawes Commission held a conference but failed to come to any agreement. The commission will recommend a territorial form of government to Congress for the five civilized tribes.

At Omaha the inter-collegiate football game between Nebraska and Missouri universities was won by the former by a score of 12 to 10.

Francis M. Hatch, Hawaiian min-ister of foreign affairs has been appointed minister to Washington.

Alabama Populists, headed by Reuben F. Kolb, are preparing for a State non-partisan conf

Dave Matney, who murdered Collectators as above stated. tor Wade at Benton, Mo., was captured and removed to Jackson jail to prevent a lynching.

The Dickinson Hardware Company of Little Rock, Ark., failed. Assets, \$250,000; habilities, \$150,000.

The Chicago Cuban committee is receiving many offers of aid from all over the country.

Governor Culberson has ordered the arrest of the leaders of the mob that burned the negro Hillard alive at Ty-

Miss Flagler, daughter of General Flagler, whose shooting and lelling of a negro boy who was stealing fruit several months ago, at Washington, ereated a sensation, was indicted for manslaughter.

As the result of a lovers' quarrel, Frederick Crocker murdered Miss Louise Johnson and killed himself at Lead City, S. D.

Burglars broke into the First Na-tional bank of McGregor, Texas, wrecked the safe with dynamite and secured between \$10,000 and \$12,000.

Patrick Coughlin, a New York veteran, was stabbed seventeen times at the Milwaukee Soldiers' home by Thomas Kelly, a naval veteran, and

Colonel Gustave G. Pabst of Milwaukee is about to bring divorce proceedings against his wife, Margaret Ma.

ther, the ex-netress. Jerry Simpson will be a candidate for his old seat in congress at the next

election At Chillicothe, Mo , Judge Broaddus practically acquitted C. A. Loomis of

disharment charges brought against him. Dr. Fraker's bond for \$6,000 has been made up by Excelsior Springs friends and sent to Richmond for ap-

proval. A subterranean lake has been

found under Wichita, Kan. Robert Ross, a leading farmer living near Garden City, Kan., shot John Scarlet, a liveryman of that place in the hand and arm and was shot and stabbed in turn and died in ten min-

It is charged in Chicago that Colonel Crofton, commander at Fort Sheridan. has violated army rules by employing enlisted men as servants. gressional investigation is talked of.

Commodore Matthews, chief of the bureau of yards and docks of the navy, in his annual report estimates \$2,124,149 as needed for new work.

The Southern Pacific pay train was wrecked near Taber, Texas, the engine, guard and pay cars and the ca-boose all going into a ditch. Fireman Burr was killed and Engineer Luff badly scalded. No cause is known,

Yancey Lewis is now United States judge of the Central district of the Indian territory.

Fred B. Kennett, once chief of police of St. Louis, was found guilty of manslaughter at Los Angeles, Cal., for killing Detective A. B. Lawson.

LIKE ANCIENT TIMES.

Ten Heretics Burned in Mexico by a Fanatical Judge.

NEW YORK, Nov. 4 .- The World contains additional details of the burning of ten heretics by the Judge of the Mexican town of Texacapa. The dispatch says: As soon as the news reached Mollange, the principal town in the district, the municipal president and minor officials, with an scort of over sixty men, armed with rifles, went to Texacapa, where they found everybody in the public square executing grotesque dances in honor of the virgin of Guadaloupe around the ruins of the jail, a small building solidly constructed, close to the parish church. In this jail previous to Saturday had been confined Nicholas Hernandez, Martin Santiago, Jose Manuel, Casper Hernandez, Juan Tomas, Juan Tomas second, Maria Juana, Maria Magdalena, Maria Concepcion and an infant child. They had been rudely hustled from their homes at dead of night on the extraordinary charge preferred by the auxilliary town judge that their lives were an evil in the sight of God, and that they were enemies of the faith and heretics whom God had ordered through his holy saint to be consumed by fire.

The auxiliary judge related this with the utmost sangfroid to the authorities. He added that God had wrought astonishing miracles to conform what the saint had told him in the vision. Said the judge: "I obeyed the divine command and ordered out my alguayciles (constables), and we took these sinners from their beds and dragged them in the darkness of night, weeping and wailing, to the jail. When they were locked securely in, I ordered the alguayciles to set the building on fire."

Twenty-one arrests were made, although the fanatical mob threatened death to the authorities. The prisoners, securely bound around the arms and chained together, were marched to Mollange, where a judicial investi-gation will take place. The whole population of Texacapa appears gone mad. All believe the auxiliary judge was commissioned by the Almighty and the saints to destroy evildoers. They point to the pile of bones on which they profess to see miraculously traced outline forms of the saints who, on advising the judge to burn heretics, left their images. The community is nothing but an open air madhouse.

STRIKE PROBABLE.

Dissatisfied Coal Miners at Weir City Send the Operators an Ultimatum-

WEIR CITY, Kan., Nov. 5 .- At a mass meeting of the miners of Cherokee county, the coal operators were given until the 9th to grant the demands of the men for a raise of the mining scale and a reduction in the price of powder. If some concessions are not made there will bra strike. The prevailing price in this district since the strike of '93 has been 50 cents a ton, mine run, in sum-mer and 56 cents in winter. This year the companies refuse to pay the winter price, which should have gone into effect September 1, and are still paying only 50 cents. Delegates from each mine visited their own companies and asked for 52% cents and 60 cents, with a reduction of 50 cents a keg on powder. No satisfactory answer was obtained from any of the companies and an ultimatum was sent the oper

FOR HARMONY.

Council of Prominent Democratic Lenders Held at Kansas City.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 6 .- A number of Democratic gentlemen met at the Victoria hotel yesterday, among them Messrs. M. E. Benton, M. A. Fyke, J. S. Grosshart, J. C. Brown, John L. Christian, Edgar P. Mann, Charles W. Green, O. S. Hoss, E. A. Barbour, H. W. Salmon and S. B. Cook, members of the Democratic state central committee, and Messrs. Siebert and Lesueur.

The conference was one in the interest of party harmony, and the expressions were unanimously in favor of careful and conservative action, and such a general course on the part of Democrats as will bring about reconciliation between the various sentiments in the party and strength for the contest of 1896.

Left Hand's Sensation.

GUTHRIE, Okla., Nov. 5 .- Left Hand, one of the chiefs of the Cheyenne Indians, has caused a sensation to his tribe by willing all his property to a white man named Butler, who did him an act of kindness many years He also provided that Butler shall have the custody of his youngest child to raise him in the ways of the white man. Left Hand has a great deal of land situated on Deer creek.

Extension of Civil Service Recommended. Washington, Nov. 5. - Secretary Smith will recommend to the President the placing of the law clerks of the Interior department and general land office under the civil service rules. He will also suggest that all members the clerical force in the Indian office not now under the civil service be included in the order.

Rich Find of Gold Ore. COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., Nov. 5 .- In Airheart lease of the Anchoria-Leland company's claim at Cripple Creek s six-inch streak of bonanza ore has just been encountered at a depth of 252 feet. Select samples from half a ton of the rich ore assays \$27,240.80 to the ton. The strike is one of the most marvelous yet made in the gold camp.

Two Bullets in Illaton's Head, TOPEKA, Kan., Nov. 5.—The body of Edward Illston, who was slain by Abe Coulter, was taken up to-day and examined by experts. Two bullets were found in the head, Coulter claimed that he had shot Illston only once. The discovery lessens his chances of escaping the penitentiary on the plea of accidental shooting.

Theater Burned at Decatur, Ill. DECATUR, Ill., Nov. 5. - Powers' Grand opers house block burned last night. The total loss is estimated at \$50,000. At 1:30 a. m. the fire was under control

NEWS IN BRIEF.

Mrs. Henry B. Branch of the Chicago Lyceum theater, shot herself dead, in Indianapolis, being goaded to it by her husband.

An Omaha paper has cabbaged letters showing that the secret junta of the A. P. A. passed upon all applicants for even the most trivial city of-

General John B. Gordon delivered his "Last Days of the Confederacy" lecture at Indianapolis, and was introduced by Benjamin Harrison.

Mrs. Leonard Bell, wife of a Tyler, Texas, farmer, was assaulted and murdered by Henry Hillard, a negro. Dogs tracked the fiend and he was captured and burned alive in the presence of 7,000 citizens on the public square. His excruciating suffering lasted nearly an hour. He confessed his crime.

Charles Douglass of Jamestown, N. Y., is under arrest for the double murder of Mrs. Winslow Shearman and her daughter, Mrs. Cynthia Davis, last December.

Miss May Hamilton, an 18-year-old school girl of Fostoria, Ohio, killed herself. She left a note pinned on her bedroom wall stating that she had had trouble with her mother.

Mgr. Satolli has been officially notified of the pope's intention to make him a cardinal. Dr. Talmage has exchanged his \$30,

000 Brooklyn residence for the Washington house formerly occupied by Senator Dolph. Lieutenant Leonard F. Prince, U. S. A., died at Chicago from injuries received in the famous army-navy foot-

ball game at Annapolis in 1892. Princeton defeated Harvard at football by a score of 13 to 4.

Four million feet of lumber were destroyed at Dauphin, Pa., by fire, in-volving a loss of \$75,000. The fire is supposed to originated from the spark of a locomotive.

It is said that Major General John M. Schofield, retired, has decided to make Chicago his home. He will spend his time writing his memoirs.

The Tacoma, Wash., city council has removed City Treasurer McCauley from office because he failed to furnish the \$100,000 additional bond required.

John O'Gorman, an expressman at Benton, Mo., was shot and mortally wounded by robbers who entered the saloon of William Wagner and rifled the cash drawer. Thomas M. Patterson, editor of the

Denver News, was arrested on the charge of having criminally libeled the Denver Tramway Company by charging them with corruption. Civil suits for \$200,000 were also begun. The Anti-Saloon Army was organ-

ized at Bloomington, Ill., similar to the A. P. A 'but directed against the aolson instead of the church. Pottawatomie Indians want more

rights and less red tape from Uncle Jesse Coxey, son of the common-wealer, has joined the Cuban insur-

Since March 4, 257 murders have been committed in the Indian Ter-

Mrs. May Sterns of near Perkins, Okla., was thrown from a horse and Armenia has revolted against the

sultan and 26,000 Christians are in re-

bellion.

Gold prospe Oklahoma to investigate the find near Norman. The Kansas Uuniversity football

team defeated Iowa by a score of 52 to 0 at Lawrence. An explosion wrecked a three-story

house in London. Thirteen persons were killed. Representatives of British colonies are in London to further the Pacific

cable scheme. Mrs. George Anna Smith, a grand niece of George Washington, died at Little Rock, Ark.

It is asserted that circulars with intent to defeat Statehood are being sent throughout Utah.

Emanuel Meyers, a well-known Dunkard of York, Pa., fell dead in the pulpit of his church.

Auditor Howard of the postoffice department reports a deficit for the

last fiscal year of \$2,807,044. The remains of Mrs. James B. Eustis will be interred at Louisville, Ky., on

their arrival in this country. Commander William A. Morgan, U. S. N., retired, is dead.

Chicago Board of trade has again declared war on bucket shops.

An immense wing dam is to be erected above Government island, Davenport, Iowa.

William T. Jeter, who has been appointed lieutenant governor of California to fill a vacancy, was born in Livingston county, Missouri, and was once a Democratic leader in Missouri.

John W. Milby, secretary of the F. McGinnis Paint Company of St. Louis, was arrested and that in three years he had stolen \$3,000 which he had bet on the races.

Barnum & Bailey and Sells Brothers circuses have consolidated.

There is a hitch about the payment of General Schofield's salary. General Michael Kerwin has bolted the Fusion-Republican ticket in New York.

J. J. Van Alen was arrested at the suit of Samuel R. Colt, for alienating his wife's affections. He gave \$200,000 bail.

George Smith and Charles Davis were executed by electrocution at Clinton prison, New York. Nearly 300 people were convicted last year of committing pension

frauds. Lord Salisbury, in a speech at Wofford deplored the repeal of the corn laws and also regretted Gladstone's in-

terference in Armenian affairs. London papers think Senator Chandler's war talk will only be received with favor by the riffraff of the large towns.

Receiver Burleigh of the Northern Pacific, will get a salary of \$15,000 per year, by order made by Judge Hanford of Seattle.

A bomb was exploded in the monastery of Corjuela, Spain, causing much damage and the death of two monks from fright. At Chelva a mob stoned a Catholic procession

GUILTY OF MURDER.

HOLMES AND DURRANT MUST HANG.

Two of the Most Notorious Criminals of the Age Have Their Doom Scaled by the Law-One at San Francisco, the Other at Philadelphia-Appeals Taken.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 4 .- Theodore Durrant, assistant superintendent of Emanuel Baptist church Sunday



THEODORE DURRANT. Blanche Lamont, for which he has been on trial since July 23 last. The jury was out twenty minutes and arrived at the verdict on the first ballot. As there was no recommendation of mercy the punishment was fixed at

The case will be appealed to the supreme court, and it is expected that nearly a year will lapse before a de-cision will be obtained.

HOLMES IS CONVICTED.

Murder in the First Degree the Verdict of the Jury.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 5.-H. H. Holmes, the arch-criminal of the present time, accused of at least six murders and countless numbers of other crimes, but never before put on trial for his misdeeds, was found



H. H. HOLMES.

guilty of murder in the first degree at 9 o'clock Saturday night. He took the verdict calmly, and left the court room as nonchalently as he had entered it on any day of his trial, not-withstanding the fact that death withstanding the fa stares him in the face.

THE EARTH QUAKE.

Central and Mississippi Valley States

Shaken Up. KANSAS CITY, Mo,. Nov. 1 .- The earthquake shocks which startled the people of this city at 5:15 o'clock this morning and which caused about half of them to get out of bed and wander about their homes in search of burglars, were general throughout the Mississippi valley. Shocks were felt from Michigan to Louisiana and from Ohio to Kansas. Reports from points throughout this wide territory agree that the shock occurred precisely at 5:15 o'clock and lasted not longer than a minute. Reports differ as to the number of distinct shocks. All agree that there were two shocks and many reports are that there were three, the last faint and almost imperceptible. Every town in Kansas and Missouri felt the shock.

Burglars Rounded Up by a Posse. Holden, Mo., Nov. 5 .- Three men

were brought through this city this morning on their way to Warrensburg in charge of a posse headed by Alex and Wash Long. The men are strangers and are wanted for breaking into several houses near Kingsville and carrying off clothing. They were found asleep in a molasses mill of this

A Historical Farm Sold.

NOBFOLK, Va., Nov. 5. - The farm known as the "Old Temple farm," on the York river at Yorktown, has just been sold to a man from Columbus, This is the farm on which Lord Cornwallis surrendered to the combined armies of Washington and Lafayette, October 19, 1781. A portion of the buildings then standing still emain.

Captain Kirkman Exonerated. FORT RILEY, Kan., Nov. 4 .- Captain Joel T. Kirkman, who has been on trial before a court of United States army officers, charged with conduct unbecoming an officer, has been acquitted on every charge and specifica

Minneapolis Job Printers Strike. MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Nov. 5 .- The Union job printers of Minneapolis struck this morning for thirty cents an hour and a nine hour day. They have been getting 26 2-3 cents an hour for a ten hour day. Nearly 200 men

are out Corbett Talks About Retirement. MEMHHIS, Tenn., Nov. 5.-James J. Corbett will leave to-night for New York He says he will pay no more attention to Fitzsimmons, and is contemplating final retirement from the

LATE NEWS NOTES.

The American Railway Union has decided to admit commercial telegraphers to the order.

Four men lost their lives in a fire in a tenement house in New York city.

Yellow fever is reported almost epidemic at Havana, Cuba. In one week there were twenty-three deaths.

The Walcott flour mills and seven dwellings at Fairbault, Minn., were destroyed by fire. Losses, \$150,000; insurance, \$70,000. At Eagle, W. Va., Irwin Hostley fired at Bettie Shields, hissweetheart,

during a quarrel. She secured a re-Papal Legate Satolli has decided not to take any present action in regard to the disputes between Bishop Bon-

acum and his priests in Nebraska. Seven attempts were made to destroy the Speed Home for Infants in Cleveland, Ohio. Each time the fire was discovered in time to prevent

Secretary Morton has written a personal letter of congratulation to Professor W. L. Moore, chief of the weather bureau, because of the aceuracy of his forecasts during October.

Ida Gaskin, aged 11 years, was brutally assaulted and murdered in Omaha, Neb. Martin Booker has been arrested on suspicion. The body was found in a vacant house. Mrs. Sophie Caroline Smith, a fine looking woman, was arrested in New York city, charged with having ob-

tained goods worth hundreds of dollars by personating Mrs. C. P. Huntington. The flour mill at Humboldt, Neb., the largest in the southeastern part of the State, was destroyed by fire. Mayor Cooper, who owned it, places his loss at \$60,000, with \$25,000 insur-

John W. Cadman, an uncle of Mrs. Cleveland, is dying in the Cook county, Ill., hospital.

By a new arrangement twenty-four hours' time is saved in the transition of Mexican mail to this country. Postoffice clerks want congress to make their salaries uniform, putting them on the same basis as letter car-

riers. William Scarks, a Lee's Summit section hand was struck and killed by a Missouri Pacific freight.

Annie Cooper of Winona, Minn., was shot by her 12-year-old brother. He 'did not know it was loaded.' The Oak Ridge sanitarium at Green Springs, Ohio, was burned.

Charles Martin was killed by Patrick Ryan, at Leadville, Colo., over a game A stowaway was stabbed to death in a saloon at Galveston, Texas, by an

Englishman. In a race war near Clarksville, Tenn., two whites were stabbed, one dying, and two negroes. Mgr. Satolli advises Fathers Murphy

and Fitzgerald to invoke the civil law in Bishop Bonacum's diocese. The Georgia Legislature will adopt the Atkinson plan, which provides against the prevalence of mob law.

Whalers in the Arctic ocean are re-

ported to be poorly prepared for the winter, and starvation stares them in In a wreck on the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, near Waxahatchie, Texas, an engineer was killed, fireman fatally

The "Cannon Ball" on the Pittsburg pivision of the B. & O. was wree dear Wheeling, W. Va., killing two nersons and injuring thirty-five more.

scalded and passengers injured.

The German authorities have provided 90,000 marks for an expedition to the South pole. American missionaries have appealed

to United States Minister Terrell for protection in Britis. A demand has been made upon the Porte. The Mexican government will refuse to grant subsidies to any more rail-

ways, believing that all legitimate present needs are well supplied. Roads in Pennsylvania are seriously embarrassed by the lack of water for

their locomotives and by the bad quality of the water which is available Indiana supreme court has sustained the "blackboard law," which requires railroads to post the fact as to whether

trains are on time or not.

Ex-Cashier Farrar of the failed Perry, Okla., bank is out on bond. Kurds and Armenians who murdered Bicyclist Lenz are to be tried at Erze-

John Bently, aged 8s, of Freeport, Ill., took to wife Mrs. Laura Hudson of Winnebago, aged 77. Dr. W. T. Kimberly of Guthrie nearly killed County Surveyor Charles White for alleged intimacy with Mrs.

Kimberly. England is now seeking to gobble up the territory of the King of Ashanti and will likely bring on a war in West

War has again broken out between Bishop Bonacum of Nebraska and his priests, and Fathers Fitzgerald and Murphy have been expelled. Emperor Mutsuhito has sent a letter

of thanks to President Cleveland for

the part the United States took in the establishment of peace between Japan and China. Baroness Gora Sobrero has been divorced from P. W. Wilcox. She says that he represented that he was heir

to the Hawaiian throne. Chicago police have a valise containing papers worth \$65,000 which they found in the Pennsylvania railroad yards. They think the owner was

murdered. United States Circuit Judge Kilgore of the Indian Territory has sent to Washington a prompt denial of charges against him and his explanation of the animus of the charges.

Lucky Davis, Moam July, Sam Simpson, Lewis Davis and Rufus Buck are under sentence of death at Fort Smith, but have saved their necks a litile while by appealing to the United States supreme court.

Uncle Sam's Indebtedness October s1 was \$946,451,108.

Mr. Cleveland will arbitrate the Italian-Colombian dispute.

More Armenian massacres are like-The mere presence of Turkish troops will not act as a preventive. The District of Columbia grand jury

has declared the government printing office unsafe.